

SET HER ON THE STOVE.

A Man After Stabbing His Wife
Fearfully Maltreated
Her.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 4.—Yesterday afternoon James Walker, a night workman on the Kansas City, Wyandotte and Northwestern railroad, made a brutal assault upon his wife at their home, 114 Lafayette avenue, in Kansas City, Kas. Walker had been at home all day, but his wife avers that he had not quarreled with her. Seemingly with no provocation he suddenly made a plunge at her and stabbed her under the left eye with his pocket-knife. The wound was a serious one. Not satisfied he then took her in his arms, the blood streaming over both, and carried her to the stove, the top of which was almost red hot. On this he placed the helpless woman and fled. Her cries brought Policeman Burkman, who took her from her agonizing position, and then went in pursuit of Walker. Walker reached a car on the "L" road which he took for Kansas City, Mo. A telephone alarm was sent to the St. Louis avenue station, and at 5 o'clock he was captured. Mrs. Walker is in a dangerous condition.

Shot by the Opelika Terror.
Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 5.—Mr. Will Mangum, a young medical student, is now lying very ill at No. 44 Church street from the effects of a pistol wound received last Sunday week. Mr. Mangum is a victim of "Peeping Tom," the terror of Opelika. Last Sunday week Mangum called on some young ladies in Opelika, and while there "Peeping Tom" turned the window blinds and peeped into the room. Mr. Mangum hurried out just in time to see a negro running away from the house. After going home, the young man decided to go back to the house he had just left and lay in wait for the negro. He picked up a walking cane and went back to the young lady's home. When he turned the corner of the house he came face to face with the terror of Opelika. The negro was dealt a heavy blow over the head, and he in return drew a pistol and shot Mr. Mangum in the arm. The pistol was wrested from the negro's hand, and while he was running Mangum shot at him several times. On Monday Mr. Mangum left his home in Opelika to attend the medical lectures in Atlanta. He was compelled to take to his bed and has been very low ever since, and is expected to die. The people of Opelika offered a reward of \$250 for the capture of Peeping Tom, and now they have raised the reward to \$500. He has been known to peep into the windows of residences several times since the trouble with Mr. Mangum.

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Shocked on an Electric Car.

HUDSON, N. Y. February 2.—A very painful and peculiar accident to a lady passenger on an electric car caused much excitement here Friday afternoon. Miss Clark, a young lady who is visiting Nathan Clark, of Athens, just opposite this city had been making a short visit to Hudson, and on her return home took an electric car for the river. As soon as she entered the car she complained of feeling ill, and told the passengers that she had received an electric shock. She appeared very pale, and leaned wearily against the back of the seat. Upon alighting from the car at the river Miss Clark received another shock and fell to the ground. Treasurer Rainey and several passengers assisted the unfortunate young lady into the Curtis house and summoned Dr. Frederick Cochrane. When the physician arrived he found Miss Clark unconscious and in a very critical state, passing into convulsions. She was with great difficulty restored. She was later able to be conveyed to her home across the river. Dr. Cochrane thinks that the shock was communicated to Miss Clark by means of the iron bolts in the platform, as she wore no rubbers.

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A Murdered Girl's Body Found
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Lansing, Mich., February 2.—Last Friday night, as Solomon Dorr and his son, Clifton, were crossing Grand river, three miles beyond the village of Dimondale, they discovered the entirely nude body of a beautiful girl, apparently about 14 years old, in a patch of water where the ice had been broken. When the body was removed from the river it was evident that the corpse had been thrust into the water but a few hours before, and that it had been disposed of almost immediately after death. The girl weighed 90 pounds and throat bore marks made by the pressure of a hand, while the teeth had bitten through the lips. An inquest was held in Dimondale yesterday. Beyond the marks on the throat no positive evidence of violence was found, although the physicians summoned agreed that the murder had probably been preceded by another crime. Absolutely no clue to the identity of the murdered girl has been obtained, although the sheriff of the two counties are working on the case.

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A MISSOURI GIANTESS.

Scotland County Produces an 18-
Year-Old Girl Eight Feet
High.

New York, Feb. 1.—A fly stood lazily upside down on the ceiling of a room in the St. Nicholas Hotel to-day and gazed with furtive interest at a family that had arrived the night before. They were Benjamin F. Ewing and his wife and daughter from Scotland county, Missouri.

Mr. Ewing is a middle-aged farmer, six feet in height, of spare frame. He wore a mouse-colored coat that fitted him with the grace and precision of a salt sack, and his puttees came from Kansas City and had brown stripes in them. Mrs. Ewing is a benevolent featured woman of medium size and weight. She looked at her daughter, Miss Ella Ewing, through gold rimmed spectacles.

Miss Ella is quite large for her age. She is 8 feet tall and weighs 245 pounds. She told callers that she is a good horseback rider and was never sick in her life. She quit going to a village school last July and has spent most of her time since then in pursuing bushe's of letters from museum and circus managers. She began to grow very fast when 8 years old and grew one inch in height last month. She expects to keep on growing until she is 21 years of age. She appears now to be about 18.

Miss Ewing's face is very large, and so are her hands and feet. Her hand is a foot long and it takes 40 yards of silk to make her a dress. She is very diffident as yet, but her Chicago manager is going to take her and her parents to Europe next week, and he thinks her shyness will wear off after her tour among the crowned heads.

This is the first time the family has been out of Northwestern Missouri, and the old gentleman can talk of nothing but "Yoorope." He walked up Broadway last night and tried in vain to buy a two-for-five cigar.

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Romantic Story Revealed by the
Death of Capt. Piteairn
Rector.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—The funeral of Capt. Piteairn Rector, who was instantly killed last week near Hickman, Ky., by being thrown from a horse while engaged in a fox chase, occurred yesterday afternoon from Lynch's undertaking establishment to Calvary Cemetery. There was a large attendance of sincere mourners, for the deceased was long a resident of this city, well known and very popular. He was for several years a deputy under the Harbor Commissioner and at the time of his death was in the employ of the government as an inspector of the work now being done by the government on the river. He had been absent for some days inspecting the work of the fleet located at Hickman, and, having completed his duties, was on the eve of returning, when the lamentable accident occurred. Captain Rector was a near relative of Governor Rector of Arkansas and a cousin of Mrs. Gen. Beal of Carondelet, with whom he made his home when in the city. There was a peculiarly sad and touching sequel to his death that was not generally known until yesterday, and that was that by his death a popular, accomplished lady of South St. Louis was made a widow. As the facts were stated to a reporter, it seems that among the inmates of Mrs. Beal's home, beside Capt. Rector, was Miss Sarah Sharpe, the director of the kindergarten of the Meramec school, a lovely blonde, possessing many charms of person and mind and of excellent family. Captain Rector fell desperately in love with her, and his affection being reciprocated, the two became intimate friends and were hardly ever seen in public out of each other's company. They were recognized as lovers by their friends, and some day, it was thought, they would be married. This courtship continued for several years when Capt. Rector brought the young lady to pledge him her hand and heart in secret wedlock, that whatever befell them they might be man and wife. To this she consented and some five years ago they were quietly married in the presence of Mrs. Beal and one or two trusted friends.

It was the intention of the contracting lovers to keep their marriage quiet, the captain was enabled to support his bride as he desired she should live; in the meantime they were to pursue their usual walks in life but each aiding the consummation of their dream of wedded bliss. Accordingly Mrs. Rector continued as Miss Sharpe to the world, and, being devoted to her school work, still remained director of the kindergarten, which position she has so long and acceptably filled.

What a shock of news Capt. Rector's death was to her can only be realized by those whose brightest dreams of life have been suddenly blighted. Although at first prostrated by her great affliction, she rallied sufficient to attend the obsequies yesterday afternoon and take a last view of her lover and husband.

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